

**AMENDMENT TO THE AGREEMENT BETWEEN
THE DEPARTMENT OF DEFENSE OF THE UNITED STATES OF
AMERICA AND THE MINISTRY OF ENERGY AND MINERAL
RESOURCES OF THE REPUBLIC OF KAZAKHSTAN CONCERNING
THE ELIMINATION OF INFRASTRUCTURE FOR WEAPONS OF
MASS DESTRUCTION.**

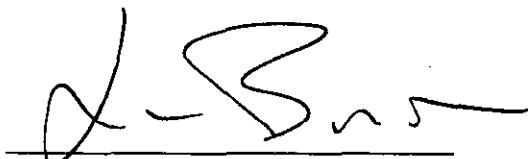
Pursuant to Article VII, paragraph 2 of the Agreement between the Department of Defense of the United States of America and the Ministry of Energy and Mineral Resources of the Republic of Kazakhstan concerning the elimination of infrastructure for weapons of mass destruction, dated October 3, 1995, as amended June 10, 1996, September 9, 1998, December 17, 1999, July 29, 2000, and May 13/31, 2002, (hereinafter referred to as "the Agreement"), the Department of Defense of the United States of America and the Ministry of Energy and Mineral Resources of the Republic of Kazakhstan have agreed to amend the Agreement as follows:

Amend article III, paragraph 1 by replacing the words "forty million six thousand U.S. dollars" with the words "fifty-two million six thousand U.S. dollars".

This Amendment shall enter into force upon signature and shall remain in force for the duration of the Agreement.

DONE at Washington and Astana, this 2nd day of April and 11 March, 2003, in duplicate, each in the Russian and English languages, all texts being the equally authentic.

**FOR THE
DEPARTMENT OF DEFENSE
OF THE
UNITED STATES
OF AMERICA:**



**FOR THE
MINISTRY OF ENERGY AND
MINERAL RESOURCES
OF THE
REPUBLIC OF KAZAKHSTAN:**

